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BETWEEN:

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and HAROLD RISTAU

Applicants

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GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL, HER MAJESTY IN RIGHT OF CANADA,
ATTORNEY GENERAL OF CANADA, and MINISTER OF PUBLIC SAFETY
AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

Respondents

Transcript of Oral Questioning of
VINCENT GIRCYS
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1 (Proceedings commenced at 10:00 a.m.)

2 COURT REPORTER: Counsel, as you all know, because
3 we are using a virtual connection, everyone is going to
4 have to be more conscious than ever of not speaking
5 over each other. If I cannot hear the end of a
6 question or the beginning of an answer or if I have to
7 interrupt often because I cannot hear or understand
8 something that is said, we will not have a good
9 examination flow, and we will have a poor record. If
10 there is an objection, I need to be able to hear it,
11 please, and know who is objecting. If I do have to
12 interrupt, please be patient and understand that my
13 goal is to provide you with a perfect record of these
14 proceedings.

15 From time to time, we've noticed the audio can be
16 affected, and if so, we may need to stop the
17 proceedings and wait a moment for the audio to improve.

18 Would the witness please identify himself and
19 spell his first and last name?

20 MR. GIRCYS: Vincent Gircys, V-I-N-C-E-N-T,
21 G-I-R-C-Y-S.

22 COURT REPORTER: Our witness today is Vincent
23 Gircys. If there are any questions about the witness's
24 identity, would counsel please advise on the record
25 now?

1 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: No questions.

2 COURT REPORTER: Hearing no objection, counsel, are
3 you ready for me to affirm the witness?

4 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Yes.

5 VINCENT GIRCYS, affirmed, questioned by Ms. Muhammed-Ally:

6 Q. So I think I should be saying "good afternoon" as
7 opposed to "good morning" to you, Mr. Gircys. I'm not
8 sure if you're in Mountain Standard Time or Eastern
9 Standard Time, but either way, hello. My name is Nur
10 Muhammed-Ally. I'm one of the counsel representing the
11 respondent, the Attorney General of Canada, in this
12 matter. I will be asking you some questions in
13 relation to your affidavit that was sworn on March 8th.
14 Can you hear me okay?

15 A. Yes.

16 Q. Okay. Great. And do you have your affidavit before
17 you today?

18 A. Yes, I do.

19 Q. Thank you. And do you -- you've reviewed it before
20 this examination?

21 A. I have, yes.

22 Q. And do you wish to change anything in your affidavit
23 before we begin?

24 A. I think in my affidavit, it has my age as 60. I'm
25 currently 61 at this time.

1 MR. MILLER: Mr. Gircys, sorry to interrupt. I
2 believe you do have another update with respect to
3 politics you wanted to clarify you told me about.

4 A. Yes. Since the time that this statement was filed,
5 politically, I have joined a political party in Ontario
6 as a result of this upcoming Ontario election. That
7 party was called the Ontario Party, and the election is
8 now over. I was a candidate for Niagara Centre. I am
9 no longer -- the election is over, and we were
10 defeated. We achieved no seats, and I am in the
11 process of now leaving that party.

12 Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Okay. Thank you for that update
13 to your affidavit, Mr. Gircys. Do you reside in the
14 City of Niagara or the region of Niagara?

15 A. In the region of Niagara, yes.

16 Q. And I'm going to take you to your affidavit at
17 paragraph 3.

18 A. Yes.

19 Q. You previously worked for the Ontario Provincial
20 Police; is that correct?

21 A. Yes, that's correct.

22 Q. And the Ontario Provincial Police, also referred to as
23 the OPP, is a law enforcement agency for the province
24 of Ontario; is that correct?

25 A. Yes, correct.

1 Q. And you worked for them as a police officer for 32
2 years; is that correct?

3 A. Yes, correct.

4 Q. And you have been retired since 2014, so about eight
5 years almost?

6 A. Yes, correct.

7 Q. While you were a police officer, part of your role was
8 to uphold the law; is that correct?

9 A. Yes, it was.

10 Q. And in that capacity, you did not create law?

11 A. Correct.

12 Q. And in that same capacity as a police officer, you did
13 not give legal advice to people about the law?

14 A. Correct.

15 Q. So while you were at the OPP, I understand you were a
16 forensic investigator?

17 A. I was for a number of years as part of my duties, yes.

18 Q. And what division of the OPP did you work with?

19 A. That would be out of our regional headquarters in the
20 Greater Toronto Region under the Technical Traffic
21 Support Unit as a forensic reconstructionist.

22 Q. What is a Technical Traffic Support Unit?

23 A. That unit provides various forms of hardware and
24 expertise to scenes where there are death
25 investigations resulting from motor vehicle collisions.

1 And occasionally, our expertise would also be required
2 outside of the realm of traffic-related deaths but
3 dealing with other deaths within our region.

4 **Q.** I see. So you said forensic reconstruction? Is that
5 what you said?

6 **A.** Yes, that's correct.

7 **Q.** And what does that entail?

8 **A.** That entails the ability to identify all contributing
9 factors associated to the death in motor vehicle
10 collisions by way of identifying the evidence;
11 measuring the evidence; surveying the scenes;
12 reconstructing, in three dimension, the scenes; and
13 then working with mathematical computations and
14 downloads of various sources of data from the scene,
15 electronically and otherwise, to recreate the collision
16 or reconstruct the collision to be able to answer many
17 of the fundamental questions of how and why the
18 collision occurred and what the contributing factors
19 would have been.

20 **Q.** And I understand you completed 5,000 -- over 5,000 --
21 or, sorry, around 5,000 investigations?

22 **A.** Yes, that's over the course of my entire career, about
23 5,000 investigations, yes.

24 **Q.** And were these primarily in relation to motor vehicle
25 collisions?

1 **A.** Primarily, yes.

2 **Q.** But also other deaths, I believe you said?

3 **A.** Primarily, yes.

4 **Q.** So the majority of your experience was in forensic
5 reconstruction related to motor vehicle collisions?

6 **A.** For a portion of my career, yes.

7 **Q.** How much? What portion?

8 **A.** There was a time from, I believe, 1991 to 1995, I was
9 involved as a member of the Emergency Response Team
10 within that region, and that was prior to my forensic
11 reconstruction work.

12 **Q.** Sorry. You said you were involved as part of an
13 Emergency Response Team from 1991 to 1995?

14 **A.** Yes, that's correct.

15 **Q.** So four years?

16 **A.** Yes.

17 **Q.** I'm actually going to take you to a profile that I
18 found on LinkedIn, if my colleague could -- thank you.
19 Would you take a minute to review this, Mr. Gircys?

20 **A.** Yes.

21 **Q.** And let us know when you want us to scroll down, if --
22 if you need us to scroll down or...

23 **A.** No, I think I can read it all.

24 **Q.** Is this your profile, Mr. Gircys?

25 **A.** Yes, it is.

1 **Q.** Right. And under your name, it indicates "Motor
2 Vehicle Collision Investigation and Reconstruction"; is
3 that correct?

4 **A.** Yes, that's correct.

5 **Q.** And do you still -- do you provide private advice about
6 motor vehicle collisions at this juncture?

7 **A.** I haven't been requested, and I'm not seeking
8 employment in that field, but that was something that
9 had been discussed substantially over the course of my
10 career, and it -- it tends to garnish some questions
11 from people from time to time, but it's not an
12 occupation. And that particular "About" section was
13 just making reference to the collision reconstruction
14 portion because I was, at one point, considering
15 looking at entering the private sector in that field,
16 but I decided I was not going to seek employment and
17 re-enter that field.

18 **Q.** So if we scroll down to look at some of your other
19 activity, so it discusses your education here. And if
20 we scroll down to "Courses," it lists a bunch of your
21 courses here. Oh, and I see something noted here about
22 the Emergency Response Team. It indicates Emergency
23 Response Team from 1991 to 1993. Do you see that,
24 Mr. Gircys?

25 **A.** I do.

1 **Q.** So that's different than the date you just provided me
2 earlier about having been part of the ERT until 1995.
3 Do you recall if you were part of the ERT until 1993 or
4 1995?

5 **A.** I believe -- if I claim 1993 on this, I would have been
6 officially on the team until 1993, but following my
7 departure I believe in '94 or 95, there were some
8 flare-ups in the province where I was reactivated for a
9 short duration and still providing Emergency Response
10 Team work. And I believe that was in Ipperwash
11 Provincial Park with a Native-related shooting scenario
12 or issue that occurred there, and I'm not sure if that
13 was in '94 or '95.

14 **Q.** I see. So your official role with the ERT, the
15 Emergency Response Team, ended in 1993, but there
16 may -- but after that, there was some ad hoc
17 involvement until 1995; is that -- is that accurate?

18 **A.** Yeah, that's right, and possibly afterwards as well.
19 Sometimes the OPP is dealing with a situation where
20 they need somebody with a certain level of ERT
21 experience, and they may not have enough officers
22 available, so sometimes you'll be reactivated.

23 **Q.** And you've listed a bunch of courses here that you
24 took. I don't see any courses listed after 1993 that
25 relate to emergency response work.

1 **A.** Correct.

2 **Q.** So you did not receive ERT training since 1993?

3 **A.** Correct.

4 **Q.** Okay. At paragraph 23 of your affidavit, you state
5 that you have some training -- I can wait until you're
6 at paragraph 23.

7 **A.** Okay.

8 **Q.** You state that you have some training in tactical type
9 police units. What do you mean by --

10 **A.** No, I didn't -- I didn't say training. Knowledge and
11 understanding.

12 **Q.** My apologies. That's me writing down. Let me go back
13 there. Actually, let's go back, paragraph 23. Sorry.

14 MR. MILLER: Ms. Muhammed, just so you don't
15 forget, would you like to mark the -- you just took it
16 off the screen. Would you like to mark it as an
17 exhibit? And I'm fine with it being a full exhibit
18 because he authored it, or it can be an exhibit for
19 identification, whatever you would like to do.

20 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Yeah, we can mark it as an
21 exhibit. Thank you for reminding me.

22 MR. MILLER: So I'm fine with Exhibit 1, and
23 you can name it, of course. Go ahead.

24 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: So Exhibit 1 is the LinkedIn
25 profile of Vincent Gircys. Thank you, Mr. Miller.

EXHIBIT 1 - A copy of the LinkedIn
profile of Vincent Gircys

Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: So at paragraph 23, it states: (as
read)

I have this knowledge and understanding
based on my background as a retired OPP
forensic investigator and my police
training, which includes training in
tactical type police units.

I was asking about that last phrase, "training in
tactical type police units." What do you mean by
"tactical type"?

A. That would be an organized squad within the police
agency that could be assigned for specific tasks and
utilizing certain tactical operations. For example,
within the Emergency Response Team, we're also broken
into subteams of crowd -- well, some police agencies
would call crowd management teams. Other police
agencies would call them public order units, but I
think a slang term that could be used is "crowd
control."

Another team would be Canine. Emergency Response
Team members would be Canine affiliated, that is that
we work hand in hand with canine operators. Instead of
sending an individual canine handler on a tracking

mission, they would go with a tactical member that's trained to operate with Canine. So these types of divisions within the Emergency Team would -- would be calling upon a tactical type officer who is armed sometimes differently, carries some different equipment to be able to get through a situation. Search and Rescue is another tactical operation as well.

Q. Thank you. And which -- which team were you a part of?

A. All of them.

Q. All of them.

A. Yes.

Q. And how many times in your 32 years did you act as one of these teams; do you recall?

A. Several dozen times.

Q. So several dozen times in a period of 32 years?

A. Correct. And that doesn't include the number of times that we trained on a regular basis. That would be several dozen deployments that I would have done.

Q. I had understood from your last answer that your last training -- emergency response training was in 1993.

A. That's correct. That's when the training was, yes.

Q. Thank you. And how many times in your 32 years were you involved in policing a demonstration or a protest approximately?

A. On a very large scale, I would say two, and on a more

1 moderate scale of a thousand people or less, I would
2 say several dozen times.

3 **Q.** And how long did these demonstrations or protests
4 typically last?

5 **A.** The smaller protests that I dealt with lasted a day or
6 less, and the larger protests would have lasted either
7 several days or several weeks.

8 **Q.** And you refer to these as -- so there were two large
9 protests, you said?

10 **A.** Yes.

11 **Q.** And do you recall which one of these lasted several
12 weeks?

13 **A.** That would have been the -- the Pinery Park Native
14 protest in western Ontario that involved a shooting
15 incident, and that went on for over a month, I believe.

16 **Q.** And were you there every day or for a few days; do you
17 recall?

18 **A.** I was deployed there for, I believe, two weeks.

19 **Q.** And this would have been in 1994 or 1995?

20 **A.** Yes. I think it was about '95, yeah.

21 **Q.** And since -- and from 1995 onwards, were you involved
22 in any large-scale demonstrations -- policing any
23 large-scale demonstrations?

24 **A.** No, not -- not since '95, I don't believe.

25 **Q.** Were you involved in policing moderate-scale

1 demonstrations since 1995?

2 A. Several small demonstrations, but, yeah, it's -- some
3 small demonstrations, less than a hundred people.

4 Q. And approximately how many of those since 1995?

5 A. Less than a dozen.

6 Q. Less than a dozen. So between 1995 until you retired
7 in 2014, it would have been less than a dozen protests
8 that you were involved in policing, correct?

9 A. Yes, that's correct.

10 Q. Would you agree with me that policing demonstrations
11 was not the focus of your career?

12 A. That's correct.

13 Q. Your role at the OPP was focused mainly on forensic
14 investigation and reconstruction at the site of a motor
15 vehicle collision or another type of death
16 investigation --

17 A. That's correct.

18 Q. -- is that correct?

19 I'm going to take you to paragraph 7 of your
20 affidavit, and we can talk a little bit about the
21 convoy itself. I'm going to refer to it, for ease of
22 reference, as "the convoy" in my questions.

23 A. Yes.

24 Q. You learned about the convoy through independent media;
25 is that correct?

1 **A.** That's correct.

2 **Q.** Do you recall the source?

3 **A.** Not particularly, but I believe that was a discussion
4 on much of the independent media that I was following
5 at around that timeline. It was being discussed quite
6 widely.

7 **Q.** Was it on social media or print media?

8 **A.** It would have been online media, so I guess could have
9 been from Rebel News, which is an alternative media
10 source. When I say "independent media," I'm talking
11 about media that is not funded by the government, that
12 it is independent of that funding.

13 **Q.** Thank you. How did you come to Ottawa?

14 **A.** I drove my personal vehicle.

15 **Q.** And where were you staying during your time there?

16 **A.** When I first went to Ottawa, when I first left to go
17 there, I had made arrangements to stay for one night at
18 the Swiss Hotel, and I went there with my son. And
19 that would have been arriving on the Saturday, the
20 first day.

21 **Q.** That's January 29th?

22 **A.** Yes.

23 **Q.** So you arranged to stay there for one night only?

24 **A.** Yes.

25 **Q.** And did you return to Niagara on the 30th?

1 **A.** Yes, I did. My -- my son needed to be at work the next
2 day. My original intention when I left there was just
3 to spend one night and then return, but when I was
4 there, I had some conversation with Daniel Bulford, and
5 it appeared that my services could be helpful if I
6 returned, so I then returned there.

7 **Q.** How many days -- pardon me. How many hours did you
8 spend at the convoy on January 29th?

9 **A.** The 29th, is that the Saturday?

10 **Q.** That's the Saturday, I believe, yes.

11 **A.** How many hours was I there?

12 **Q.** Yes.

13 **A.** I arrived there at approximately 3:00 in the afternoon,
14 and I was walking the area until about midnight and
15 then returned to my hotel.

16 **Q.** Okay. And when did you return to the convoy?

17 **A.** I left on Sunday later afternoon and returned to the
18 convoy -- I believe it was on the Thursday, so Monday,
19 Tuesday, Wednesday -- so four or five days later.

20 **Q.** Okay. So I think that's January 3rd -- pardon me,
21 February 3rd. No. That's right. So you returned the
22 next Thursday, which, based on my calendar here, is
23 February 3rd, and how long did you stay during this
24 trip?

25 **A.** Then I stayed there for about a week and a half, and it

1 was -- I returned on a Wednesday, so if I returned on
2 the Thursday, it was -- yes, it was about a week and a
3 half later I returned -- or a week later, on the
4 Wednesday, after my bank accounts were frozen. I
5 believe it was about a day or two days after that that
6 I returned.

7 **Q.** I'm just looking at your affidavit for the exact date
8 that you state your bank accounts were frozen, and that
9 is on Saturday, February 19th, in paragraph 52 of your
10 affidavit.

11 **A.** Okay. So then it would have been the Wednesday
12 following that that I returned home for less than 24
13 hours and then went back to Ottawa.

14 **Q.** Sorry, the Wednesday after February 19th or the
15 Wednesday --

16 **A.** Correct.

17 **Q.** Okay. So --

18 **A.** I'm not sure. I just -- I know it was a Wednesday that
19 I returned.

20 **Q.** Okay. So would it be fair to say in this -- during
21 this second trip from February 3rd to at least February
22 19th, that's -- that's about two weeks, by my count?

23 **A.** Okay. That sounds about right.

24 **Q.** And did you leave Ottawa the day your accounts were
25 frozen or after that?

1 **A.** No, I believe -- I believe I left two days later, two
2 to three days later.

3 **Q.** So --

4 **A.** If that helps with timing. I think it was about three
5 days or so after the account -- I found out the account
6 was frozen that I had left.

7 **Q.** So approximately the 21st or the 22nd of February?

8 **A.** Yes.

9 **Q.** Okay. And during this second trip, which was around
10 19, 20 days long, how many hours a day were you at the
11 convoy?

12 **A.** While I was there in Ottawa, I was in that area of the
13 convoy from -- every day from about 7:00 in the morning
14 until 11:00 at night, sometimes midnight.

15 **Q.** Okay.

16 MR. MILLER: Ms. Muhammed-Ally, I'm not wanting
17 to object or anything, but is there any chance you
18 would be willing to clarify what you mean by "convoy"
19 because, as I understand, there was other places?
20 Like, there was the main and then other places. I'm
21 just -- I think it would be a fair question to the
22 witness.

23 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: By "convoy," I was referring to
24 the trucks and the people who were present all over
25 downtown Ottawa. I wasn't referring to the blockades

1 or anything along those lines, but I was referring to
2 what was happening in Ottawa. Does that clarify my
3 question?

4 MR. MILLER: It's just that I had understood
5 that -- and this is just to be fair to the witness.
6 Again, I know you're trying to be, but I understand
7 that it's the position of the AGC that there's -- there
8 was more than one set of convoys set up, and I just
9 think it would be fair to the witness to clarify which
10 of those ones -- because there was the one on
11 Wellington, and then the other two, I can't remember
12 where they were. So I just don't know which ones he's
13 referring to, and neither would the Court.

14 Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I will ask -- Mr. Gircys, perhaps
15 you could clarify, during the 15 or 16 hours a day that
16 you were spending in Ottawa in this second visit,
17 whereabouts were you walking?

18 A. I was spending that time all over the whole main core
19 area along Wellington, I would say an area
20 approximately ten blocks wide by about three blocks
21 north/south, and I would have been in that whole area.
22 To me, I just saw that as one big, main gathering area,
23 and I would have been around that entire area.

24 Q. So you said it was about ten blocks wide and three
25 blocks north and three blocks south or --

1 **A.** A total of --

2 **Q.** -- three in total?

3 **A.** Yeah, three blocks in total from Wellington Street
4 south. So that's where I would have spent most of my
5 time, from Parliament Hill three blocks south and then
6 five blocks in either direction from Parliament Hill.

7 **Q.** Thank you. What was your typical day like?

8 **A.** My typical day was spending a lot of time at the Arc
9 Hotel. There was a boardroom set up where some of the
10 truck drivers were coming in and out of looking for
11 some guidance on some issues. I was working with
12 Mr. Tom Marazzo at the Arc Hotel. I would generally
13 attend a briefing meeting at the Swiss Hotel in the
14 morning at about 7:00 to begin my day. And by about
15 8:00, 8:30, I would attend another meeting at the Arc
16 Hotel, generally every morning.

17 And then I would socialize with people outside,
18 get to talk to the various truck drivers, get to know
19 people, and respond to any calls that I received for
20 assistance on a number of issues.

21 And sometimes, depending on the day or the day of
22 the week, there may be some security issues that I was
23 requested to help look after, and I would work with the
24 doctor teams that would come in that were giving a
25 conference, and they were spending time there.

1 **Q.** And this was -- the doctors that you were referred to,
2 I understand you provided some VIP security to them, as
3 you called it in your affidavit?

4 **A.** Yes, I assisted with that. Yes.

5 **Q.** In your affidavit, you indicate that you met with Danny
6 Bulford, and you've mentioned it today here as well.

7 How do you know Mr. Bulford?

8 **A.** I met him once at a conference. It was a speaking
9 engagement conference not too far from my home. I was
10 invited to attend to speak as a guest speaker, and that
11 was the first time I met Danny Bulford. And I spoke to
12 him for maybe 5 minutes there at the conference before
13 we began, and I hadn't spoken to him or met him prior
14 to that, and I hadn't met or spoken to him following
15 that until I saw him in Ottawa when I arrived.

16 **Q.** So you didn't know he was going to be in Ottawa before
17 you arrived?

18 **A.** No, I didn't.

19 **Q.** And what was the conference about where you met him
20 initially?

21 **A.** It was a conference where there were some speakers
22 talking on various issues relative to -- there were
23 doctors that were talking about COVID-related issues,
24 and I was speaking about Charter rights issues, and
25 Daniel was talking about rights and freedoms,

1 freedom-related issues.

2 **Q.** You state in your affidavit at paragraph 10 that you
3 met Mr. Bulford at that setup operations centre. I
4 believe -- was this on January -- is that correct,
5 sorry?

6 **A.** Yes, that was when I first arrived at the --

7 **Q.** On January --

8 **A.** -- Swiss Hotel. Yes.

9 **Q.** My apologies. January 29th?

10 **A.** Yes. The Saturday -- the Saturday when I arrived.

11 **Q.** How did you know where to go when you arrived in
12 Ottawa?

13 **A.** I'm part of a -- a group called Take Action Canada, or
14 at least I'm really familiar with some of the members.
15 I would say I'm not a member of that group per se.
16 It's more a protest group, but I -- I do speak with the
17 members of this group, and I was speaking to one woman
18 who was instrumental in getting access to a hotel and
19 hotel rooms in Ottawa. And through a casual
20 conversation a few days prior to my departure, I found
21 out from her that she had secured a number of rooms at
22 the Swiss Hotel and that if I just called and mentioned
23 Take Action Canada, that I would be able to book a
24 room, because that was my concern, was getting a room.
25 So I called and I used the Take Action Canada name

1 as an affiliation to secure a room, and there was no
2 problem in my getting a room. I got two rooms, one for
3 my son and one for myself. And that's how I found out
4 about the hotel.

5 **Q.** How did you know to go to the setup operation centre?

6 **A.** Well, it was down in the basement where the coffee
7 machine was. And I went down to the coffee machine,
8 and I -- the woman who told me about the hotel told me
9 her husband would be there working and assisting at the
10 hotel. So I went down to get a coffee and to look for
11 her husband, and then I found him, and he had
12 introduced me to Danny Bulford, and there were some
13 other people there. And I had no idea there was a -- a
14 group of people working out of that location until I
15 arrived in the basement, other than her husband.

16 **Q.** This is the basement of the Arc Hotel or the other one
17 that you mentioned --

18 **A.** Of the Swiss Hotel.

19 **Q.** Swiss Hotel. My apologies, the Swiss Hotel. Okay.
20 You stated in your affidavit that your role was to
21 provide VIP security, and you discussed that again
22 today and -- is that correct?

23 **A.** It was eventually. My first day there when I arrived,
24 I didn't have any role. I just went and made
25 observations. But as I was preparing to leave, I can

1 see that it appeared that Danny Bulford was very busy.
2 And I spoke to him just prior to my leaving and asked
3 him if he needed some assistance, and he indicated that
4 that would be greatly appreciated.

5 So when I offered to return, he wasn't sure what
6 he needed me to do, but he said that when I returned,
7 he would task me with something. And when I returned,
8 I was directed to go to the Arc Hotel.

9 **Q.** And this is when you returned on February 3rd?

10 **A.** Correct. No, not when I returned on the 3rd. Yes,
11 yes. I'm sorry. You're right, on the 3rd.

12 **Q.** You also provided what you refer to in your affidavit
13 as humanitarian aid; is that correct?

14 **A.** Yes.

15 **Q.** And by this, you mean coordinating places for
16 additional toilets for truckers, providing food, water,
17 gas, things like that; is that correct?

18 **A.** Well, it wasn't the providing of the food and the
19 water. It was more the -- where is it going to be
20 stored? How is it going to be prepared? There was a
21 lot of unknowns when I returned. There was a lot of
22 logistics that needed to be set up somehow to
23 accommodate for meals and food and water and toilets.
24 That was -- that was the primary problem at the
25 beginning.

1 **Q.** And I understand you also assisted Mr. Bulford with
2 general crowd control and security issues; is that
3 correct?

4 **A.** Well, he was liaising directly with the Ottawa Police
5 and the Parliamentary Police, and he seemed to be
6 getting overloaded, so we wanted to ensure that we were
7 always keeping an eye or being mindful through liaison
8 with the various police agencies of what problems were
9 developing. Were any problems developing? How could
10 we facilitate to ensure there were no problems
11 developing? Just trying to get an idea of what was
12 really going on since the event was quite large, and it
13 was important to us that it maintain a very peaceful
14 disposition.

15 **Q.** I understand. So you were in regular contact with the
16 Ottawa Police?

17 **A.** My number was available to them so that if they were
18 trying to liaise and they couldn't get a hold of Danny
19 or Tom Marazzo, that I would be another liaison
20 contact.

21 **Q.** Just so I'm clear, your role at the convoy was limited
22 to VIP security, humanitarian aid, crowd control, and
23 security issues in this liaison-type capacity; is that
24 correct?

25 **A.** Well, not crowd control. I had no responsibility of

1 the crowd. It was really just -- I was wearing many
2 hats, and I would say I would just wear pretty much
3 whatever hat was required for whatever was going on at
4 the time. It was very diversified.

5 Q. Were you following the news while you were at the
6 protest -- or the convoy? Sorry.

7 A. I'm sorry. I missed the first few words.

8 Q. Were you following the news while you were at the
9 convoy?

10 A. I was, yes.

11 Q. What kind of news were you following?

12 A. Depending on what would be on before I went to bed.
13 Sometimes I would have the opportunity to turn on and
14 listen to CTV or Global News or CBC, not my preferred
15 choice, but I wanted to hear how the -- the
16 state-sponsored media was putting out the story of the
17 events of the day.

18 Q. How did you find out about the invocation of the
19 Emergencies Act?

20 A. I can't recall whether that was through mainstream
21 news, through state-sponsored media, or independent
22 media, but it was through some source of media or
23 multiple sources of media.

24 Q. Do you recall when that was?

25 A. No, I don't.

1 **Q.** I'm going to show you a document. It's a document that
2 was attached as an exhibit to the affidavit of Kristen
3 Nagle. She's another applicant in one of the
4 proceedings -- one of the related proceedings here.

5 **MR. MILLER:** So just so you're aware, this
6 document hasn't been -- I just remind you, has not been
7 admitted in our proceeding. I don't have an issue with
8 you showing the document, but I'm not saying it's
9 admissible in this proceeding.

10 **MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY:** I'm just asking questions about
11 it, Mr. Miller. I haven't even started yet so --

12 **MR. MILLER:** Yeah.

13 **Q.** **MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY:** Do you know Ms. Nagle, Mr. Gircys?

14 **A.** I'm just looking at the white exhibit page.

15 **Q.** Sorry. We can go down, but my question before we get
16 to this was, Do you know Ms. Nagle?

17 **A.** Oh, do I know Ms. -- yes, I know Kristen Nagle. I've
18 met her a few times.

19 **Q.** And how do you -- how do you know her?

20 **A.** I had first had contact with her on a Zoom meeting
21 about a year and a half ago relative to -- or maybe
22 longer. It was relative to when she was being
23 terminated from her position. And then over the course
24 of the last two years, I may have had contact with her
25 maybe three times over the last two years meeting her

1 at various protests somewhere or speaking engagement.

2 **Q.** Speaking engagements related to -- to vaccines or
3 related mandates?

4 **A.** Regarding -- regarding mandates, yeah.

5 **Q.** Have you seen this document? Please take some time to
6 review it.

7 **A.** It looks familiar, but I'm not sure if I saw that in
8 Ottawa or not. I don't recall.

9 **Q.** You don't recall if you've seen this document?

10 **A.** Not really. I don't recall.

11 **Q.** Okay. Are you aware that the Ottawa Police were
12 distributing notices to people in the convoy asking
13 them to leave?

14 **A.** Well, I know the Ottawa Police had distributed a number
15 of notices. I'm just not familiar with them all. I
16 know there were notices regarding other issues, but I
17 vaguely recall that there were notices being
18 distributed. I don't remember if I read this one or
19 not.

20 **Q.** Do you recall what the other notices were about?

21 **A.** I'm not sure if it was documentary or otherwise. I
22 think it was a written notice. There was something
23 that came out about Family and Children Services,
24 something else relative to pets, and I'm not sure if
25 that would have been a written notice or some

1 discussion. There was much conversation going on about
2 a number of issues, so I don't recall --

3 Q. Did the police -- did the police issue any written or
4 oral notice about noise?

5 A. I don't recall.

6 Q. Or honking?

7 A. Honking, I don't recall.

8 Q. Or pollution from the trucks idling?

9 A. It could be. I don't recall. I don't recall a notice
10 being issued, but I know there were concerns that were
11 raised. I don't recall if there was a notice that I
12 had seen.

13 Q. Well, in your capacity liaising with the police
14 officers, you were not aware in that capacity about
15 these concerns --

16 A. I --

17 Q. -- the nature of these concerns?

18 A. I was -- I was asked to liaise with a group of officers
19 at one point. When I went outside to talk to them, as
20 soon as they saw me, they turned and walked away with
21 no excuse. They refused to have any discussion.

22 My liaising with other officers that I met that
23 were there performing policing duties at various
24 checkpoints were friendly and cordial, but I don't
25 recall any discussion about this notice or other

1 notices with those officers.

2 **Q.** Were you aware that people were asked to leave the area
3 of the convoy?

4 **A.** I don't recall people being asked to leave the area,
5 but I recall, from a news source, that at some point,
6 there was an area designated as a red zone.

7 **Q.** What does that mean?

8 **A.** And that -- I don't know what that meant. There was a
9 designation of an area referred to in Ottawa as a red
10 zone and that there were people having difficulty
11 getting into that red zone once it was identified as a
12 red zone. And I remember I had to go on the internet
13 to look up where this red zone was and what its
14 significance was.

15 **Q.** And what was its significance?

16 **A.** This was after -- I believe it was an area -- I don't
17 recall its specific significance, but I do recall there
18 was an area where people were having difficulty getting
19 in and that I believe there was some police perimeter
20 being set up around this area to keep people out.

21 **Q.** And this is after --

22 **A.** This is right near the end, like in the last three or
23 four days that I was there, two or three days that I
24 was there.

25 **Q.** So February 20th or thereabouts?

1 **A.** Yeah. It was like the last weekend. It was the last
2 weekend that -- before the arrests were made and people
3 were taken away and that the convoy was disbanded. It
4 was within two or three days, I believe, of that or a
5 few days of that.

6 **Q.** So, Mr. Gircys, as I understand it, for a period of two
7 weeks or more, you were at the convoy for 12 to 16
8 hours a day. You were liaising with police officers,
9 but you don't recall any notices being issued by the
10 police to ask people to leave at all? You don't recall
11 the police telling people to leave?

12 **A.** Yes, I recall people -- police asking me to leave. My
13 last or second last day that I was there, I recall
14 being asked to leave then.

15 **MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY:** I'm just going to mark this as an
16 exhibit for identification, madam reporter, the Ottawa
17 Police Service's "Notice to Demonstration Participants"
18 document.

19 **MR. MILLER:** What's the date for it?

20 **MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY:** I don't believe a date has been
21 noted in here. It is following the invocation of the
22 Emergencies Act.

23 **MR. MILLER:** Thank you.

24 **COURT REPORTER:** Are we marking this as a full
25 exhibit or as a lettered exhibit, counsel?

1 MR. MILLER: Just identification. I'd object
2 to it being marked as an full exhibit.

3 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: That's fine.

4 EXHIBIT A FOR IDENTIFICATION - A copy
5 of the Ottawa Police Service's "Notice
6 to Demonstration Participants" document

7 Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY:I'm going to show you a news
8 article and -- titled "Organizers call for the protest
9 in Ottawa to become too large for the police to break
10 up." My colleague will bring it up on the screen.
11 Please take a few minutes to review it.

12 MS. BRZEZICKI: Please let me know if you need me
13 to scroll down further, Mr. Gircys.

14 A. Okay. You can scroll down. Okay. You can scroll
15 down. Okay. You can scroll down. You can scroll
16 down.

17 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: That's it. I'll have to go back
18 to the top.

19 A. Okay. I'm done reading that.

20 Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY:So this is an article. Would you
21 agree that, on its face, it's an article published by
22 The New York Times?

23 A. That's what it appears to be.

24 Q. And it's dated February 16th?

25 A. I don't know when it was dated. Okay. Sure.

1 **Q.** And do you see a photograph in this article?

2 **A.** I do.

3 **Q.** Do you see yourself in the photograph?

4 **A.** I do.

5 **Q.** Who else do you see?

6 **A.** I see Daniel Bulford and Ed Cornell.

7 **Q.** Do you recall this press conference, Mr. Gircys?

8 **A.** Yes, I do.

9 **Q.** Now, based on your recollection of this press
10 conference, I want to ask you some questions about it.
11 Was this press conference held at the Sheraton Hotel?

12 **A.** Yes, it was.

13 **Q.** And it was held after the invocation of the Emergencies
14 Act?

15 **A.** I don't know if it was or wasn't in relation to that
16 time. I think this issue of the Emergency Measures Act
17 is somewhat vague in terms of -- in my mind as to
18 what -- the timing of when it was invoked and what time
19 this -- what day or time this conference was given. I
20 don't recall.

21 **Q.** The article is dated February 16th. Do you recall
22 holding a press conference on February 16th?

23 **A.** I do recall holding a press conference. I don't recall
24 the date, but if it claims to be the 16th, I wouldn't
25 argue that.

1 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Could we scroll down,
2 Mr. Brzezicki -- Ms. Brzezicki? Pardon me.

3 Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: And here, you're quoted as saying
4 in the third paragraph: (as read)

5 We are concerned that the government
6 will order the police to use violence
7 against peaceful protesters.

8 Do you recall saying that?

9 MR. MILLER: So I'm going to object at this
10 time on the basis of the best evidence rule. The video
11 and audio of this entire press conference was already
12 put into evidence by Mr. --

13 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I have a video and audio,
14 Mr. Miller, but I'm allowed to question him also. He
15 can tell me if he didn't say that.

16 MR. MILLER: Oh, absolutely, you can. But I'm
17 not going to let you put a double hearsay to him. So
18 you can put the video and his entire statement to him
19 and play the video of his statement in its entirety.

20 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: This is not double hearsay. This
21 is his -- his actual words that are --

22 MR. MILLER: This is what somebody -- this is
23 what somebody else typed that he said.

24 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: He can tell me if I'm -- if it's
25 incorrect, Mr. Miller.

1 MR. MILLER: I'm objecting to it. You can put
2 the video, audio --

3 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I disagree.

4 MR. MILLER: You can put the video --

5 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I disagree with your objection. I
6 will move on to the press conference audio --

7 MR. MILLER: Yeah, that's fine.

8 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: -- but I disagree with the
9 objection.

10 MR. MILLER: Very well.

11 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: And here,
12 you're quoted as saying in the third paragraph, "We are
13 concerned that the government will order the police to
14 use violence against peaceful protesters." Do you
15 recall saying that?

16 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Ms. Brzezicki, could you pull up
17 the video of the press conference?

18 MS. BRZEZICKI: Yeah, absolutely. One moment,
19 please. Would you like me to go to that time stamp of
20 the actual -- the quote from The New York Times?

21 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Yeah. We could do that, sure, if
22 you have the actual -- actually, you know what? We're
23 going to go through the whole thing, so let's start at
24 the beginning.

25 MS. BRZEZICKI: Okay. One moment. I just have to

1 reshare my screen.

2 **Q.** MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: So, Mr. Gircys, we're going to
3 play a video recording of a press conference, and I
4 will be stopping to ask you some questions.

5 (VIDEO CLIP PLAYED)

6 MR. BULFORD: My name is Daniel
7 Bulford, D-A-N-I-E-L, B-U-L-F-O-R-D.

8 MR. GIRCYS: Vincent Gircys. Last
9 name, G-I-R-C-Y-S.

10 MR. CORNELL: My name is Eddie Stewart
11 Cornell. Last name is spelled
12 C-O-R-N-E-L-L.

13 MR. BULFORD: Good afternoon. My name
14 is Danny Bulford. I'm a former member
15 of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. I
16 was in the RCMP for approximately 15
17 years. I recently resigned. The last
18 eight years, I was a sniper observer on
19 the Emergency Response Team here in
20 Ottawa where a majority of my time was
21 spent conducting protective operations
22 in support of the protection of our
23 prime minister and other VIPs.

24 We want to clarify what the new
25 emergency proclamation issued last night

1 means. Under the order, Canadians
2 continue to be allowed to come to Ottawa
3 with their children if they choose to
4 engage in peaceful, lawful protest. The
5 order only restricts people from coming
6 to Ottawa with the intention to engage
7 in violence, block critical
8 infrastructure, or to disrupt trade.

9 The Freedom Convoy and our
10 supporters have always denounced
11 violence. We only support peaceful
12 protest. We are here in peaceful,
13 lawful protest seeking the restoration
14 of our fundamental rights and freedoms.

15 All Canadians should be surprised,
16 no matter your political opinions, that
17 the federal government has resorted to
18 such an extreme and authoritarian
19 measure like the Emergencies Act and
20 that the government wants to use force
21 against a peaceful demonstration. We
22 are peaceful demonstrators engaging in
23 lawful advocacy, protest, and dissent.
24 The federal government emergency order
25 clearly states that this protest is

1 allowed to continue as long as the
2 protesters are peaceful.

3 The government is trying to order
4 the police to use force against Canadian
5 citizens who are peacefully
6 demonstrating. As Canadians, we cannot
7 allow this to happen. We call on our
8 fellow Canadians to come to Ottawa to
9 exercise their legal right of assembly
10 and protest. The more Canadians that
11 come to Ottawa will make it harder for
12 the government to get the police to
13 follow their illegal order.

14 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Could you stop that there,
15 Ms. Brzezicki? Ms. Brzezicki, could you stop for one
16 second? Thank you.

17 **Q.** MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: So does this refresh your memory a
18 bit, Mr. Gircys, that this press conference was held
19 after the invocation of the Emergencies Act?

20 **A.** Yes, that's correct. Although in my mind at this
21 point -- and, again, it's only in my mind -- there was
22 the invocation of the Act, and there was much
23 discussion within the government in terms of a vote by
24 the Senate. And I wasn't fully clear as to whether
25 this Act applies at this exact time or it doesn't until

1 it's voted by the Senate. So that was just in my mind.

2 **Q.** Thank you, Mr. Gircys. My question simply was that
3 this is after the invocation of the Emergencies Act,
4 this press conference?

5 **A.** Yes. As stated by Mr. Bulford, yeah.

6 **Q.** Right. And as stated by -- and I -- I see that some of
7 you, or perhaps all of you, are holding pieces of
8 paper; is that correct?

9 **A.** Yes.

10 **Q.** And those were your statements that you were going to
11 make; is that correct?

12 **A.** It was one combined statement broken into three
13 components, and we each chose to read a third of the
14 component.

15 **Q.** So you all agreed on what you were going to say?

16 **A.** Yes.

17 **Q.** And in that last clip, Mr. Bulford is encouraging
18 Canadians to come to Ottawa despite the invocation of
19 the Emergencies Act; is that correct?

20 **A.** He is encouraging Canadians to come to Ottawa, yes.

21 **Q.** Thank you.

22 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: And could you continue the video,
23 Ms. Brzezicki?

24 (VIDEO CLIP PLAYED)

25 MR. BULFORD: ...that come to Ottawa

1 will make it harder for the government
2 to get the police to follow their
3 illegal order.

4 MR. GIRCYS: I'm a former member of
5 the Ontario Provincial Police, having
6 served for 32 years of service.
7 Following my service, I was issued a
8 police exemplary service medal for that
9 service.

10 During the course of my
11 investigation, I conducted over 5,000
12 different investigations and spent some
13 time as a forensic investigator looking
14 at evidence closely and submitting
15 professional forensic reports in court.

16 I've always been, and continue to
17 be, loyal to the citizens of Canada.
18 The right to peaceful protest is
19 sacrament [verbatim] to our nation. If
20 that principle is abandoned, and it
21 looks like the government is heading in
22 that direction, the government will
23 reveal itself as a true tyranny, and it
24 will lose all of the fraction of
25 remaining credibility it has left.

1 We are concerned that the
2 government will order the police to use
3 violence against the peaceful
4 protesters. The greater number of
5 Canadians -- having more Canadians here
6 defending the Charter will prevent the
7 police from carrying out the government
8 orders. The convoy --

9 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Can you pause that, Ms. Brzezicki?

10 Ms. Brzezicki -- thank you. I know there's a delay. I
11 appreciate your efforts, Ms. Brzezicki, in keeping the
12 audio recording -- the audio going.

13 **Q.** MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: In this clip, Mr. Gircys, you are
14 also encouraging Canadians to come to Ottawa to prevent
15 the police from carrying out the government orders; is
16 that correct?

17 MR. MILLER: I don't think that's a fair
18 question. I don't think he said to prevent them from
19 carrying out the orders.

20 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: The -- he said, "The greater
21 number of Canadians -- having more Canadians here
22 defending the Charter will prevent the police from
23 carrying out the government orders." We can replay it.

24 MR. MILLER: Sure.

25 MS. BRZEZICKI: Should I replay?

1 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Yes, Ms. Brzezicki. Thank you.

2 MS. BRZEZICKI: It will come up in, like, 2
3 seconds.

4 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: No problem. Thanks.

5 (VIDEO CLIP PLAYED)

6 MR. GIRCYS: ...the police to use
7 violence against the peaceful
8 protesters. The greater number of
9 Canadians -- having more Canadians here
10 defending the Charter will prevent the
11 police from carrying out the government
12 orders. The convoy is conducting a --

13 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: We can stop there. Thank you.

14 Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I will repeat my question to you,
15 Mr. Gircys. In that clip, you're encouraging Canadians
16 to come to Ottawa to "prevent the police from carrying
17 out the government orders"; is that correct?

18 A. Yes, that is what I said.

19 Q. And by "the government orders," you mean the invocation
20 of the Emergencies Act; is that correct?

21 A. By "the government orders," what I mean is an unlawful
22 order in violation of Section 52 of our Constitution.

23 Q. But, Mr. Gircys, you're not a judge, are you?

24 A. No, I'm just answering your question.

25 Q. Right. So your -- you chose to invite Canadians to

1 come to Ottawa to block a government order which --
2 you've already agreed to that. You already testified
3 that you did do that. You asked Canadians to come to
4 Ottawa to prevent the police from carrying out a
5 government order. It's not for you to determine
6 what -- whether an order is lawful or not; is that
7 right, Mr. Gircys?

8 **A.** It's not up to me to determine, but I do have an
9 opinion, and I expressed my opinion.

10 **Q.** By encouraging citizens to violate a law?

11 **MR. MILLER:** Well, hold on.

12 **A.** I'm encouraging citizens --

13 **MR. MILLER:** I'm going to object. You're
14 asking a question of law, so you can move on from that.
15 The --

16 **MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY:** He's opining on the law,
17 Mr. Miller. He's opining on the law. He chose to
18 invite people to come --

19 **MR. MILLER:** I've let you go with that, but
20 inviting folks to Ottawa -- I don't know if you've read
21 the order, but it says nothing about Ottawa. It says
22 invoking certain places as infrastructure that is
23 essentially essential. It doesn't say you can't come
24 to Ottawa. It doesn't say you can't protest where it's
25 not invoked. You can invite folks to Ottawa. So if

1 you're saying he's inviting people to breach an
2 order --

3 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: To prevent -- okay. We're
4 gonna -- if we're going to continue giving evidence on
5 the record, Mr. Miller, I'm going to have Mr. Gircys
6 put in a separate room and a separate breakout room,
7 but he's already confirmed -- he's already confirmed
8 that he asked people to come to Ottawa to prevent the
9 police from carrying out the government orders.

10 MR. MILLER: Right.

11 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: He's already confirmed that
12 because that is what he said in the press --

13 MR. MILLER: What he said directly before it
14 was about preventing violence as well. So in any
15 event, you can continue, but stop asking him questions
16 of law, and we're good.

17 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: By encouraging
18 citizens to violate a law?

19 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Let's turn it back on,
20 Ms. Brzezicki. Thank you.

21 MS. BRZEZICKI: Just from where we are?

22 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Yes.

23 MS. BRZEZICKI: Of course. Thank you.

24 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Thank you.

25 (VIDEO CLIP PLAYED)

1 MR. GIRCYS: The greater number of
2 Canadians -- having more Canadians here
3 defending the Charter will prevent the
4 police from carrying out the government
5 orders. The convoy is conducting a
6 lawful protest. We recognize there is a
7 democratic process under which change
8 occurs, and we have no intention of
9 acting outside the realm of this
10 democratic process. We can continue
11 to --

12 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Can you pause there,
13 Ms. Brzezicki? Thank you.

14 Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: What did you mean, Mr. Gircys, by,
15 "We have no intention of acting outside the realm of
16 this democratic process"?

17 A. Just that, that we don't have any intention in acting
18 outside the realm. We have a social contract that the
19 institutions that serve us do what they're supposed to
20 do, and we, the citizens, do what we are supposed to
21 do. And as Mr. Miller had stated, the protest that we
22 were engaged in was peaceful and lawful, and we make
23 every attempt and effort to keep it peaceful and
24 lawful.

25 Q. Was anybody at the convoy suggesting that you act

1 outside of the democratic process?

2 **A.** No.

3 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Could you continue, Ms. Brzezicki?

4 (VIDEO CLIP PLAYED)

5 MR. GIRCYS: ...freedom with respect
6 to mandate and vaccine passports. We
7 cannot thank the officers on the ground
8 enough for their help so far, and we
9 hope that they will continue to work
10 with us as we continue to express
11 ourselves peacefully, respectfully, and
12 within the limits of the law.

13 My personal observations, as boots
14 on the ground here for the last week and
15 a half, has been nothing but love,
16 kindness, friendliness. I have never
17 met so many Canadians that love one
18 another, that feel so patriotic and kind
19 towards one another, English, French,
20 black, white, Jews, Muslims, Christians,
21 people of all walks of life in love like
22 I have never seen before.

23 The state-sponsored media
24 reporting seems to be an inversion of
25 reality. We, the police, military

1 veterans stand for freedoms and --

2 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Can you stop there for a second,
3 Ms. Brzezicki?

4 Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY:What did you mean by, "The
5 state-sponsored media reporting seems to be an
6 inversion of reality"?

7 A. Well, on every occasion that I had opportunity to
8 listen to state-sponsored media later in the evening
9 about events that were taking place in Ottawa, I'm
10 hearing an inversion of what I'm seeing on the ground.
11 I'm hearing about the dangers of the protesters, the
12 violence that's being committed, the crimes that are
13 being committed and so on and so forth, and that is not
14 at all what I'm seeing. And that is not at all what
15 I'm hearing from my contact with the local police on
16 the ground.

17 Q. Do you think the media is lying?

18 A. Yes, I do.

19 Q. I see. You referred to yourself and others that you
20 were associating with in Ottawa as law-abiding
21 citizens. The Emergencies Act is a law, is it not,
22 Mr. Gircys?

23 MR. MILLER: Again, that's actually a question
24 of law itself, whether something is a law or not, so
25 I'll object.

1 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: He's a former police officer. He
2 knows what a law is. He talked about the law.

3 MR. MILLER: I get it but --

4 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: This whole press conference is
5 about the law.

6 MR. MILLER: I understand, but I just objected,
7 and I'm not removing that objection, so thank you.

8 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: The Emergencies
9 Act is a law, is it not, Mr. Gircys?

10 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Well, I'm going to put my
11 questions down.

12 MR. MILLER: Sure.

13 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: You have no legal training as a
14 lawyer, Mr. Gircys; is that correct?

15 MR. MILLER: Asked and answered. You already
16 asked that, and he said yes at the beginning of the
17 questioning.

18 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I don't recall asking that.

19 MR. MILLER: You did.

20 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Thank you. If I did, that's good
21 to know. Thank you. I appreciate that, Mr. Miller.
22 Okay. I will leave that for now.

23 Could we continue, Ms. Brzezicki?

24 (VIDEO CLIP PLAYED)

25 MR. GIRCYS: ...democracy, not for

1 the agenda of the World Economic Forum.

2 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Sorry. Could we maybe go back
3 just a little bit so that the full sentence is on the
4 record? Thank you.

5 (VIDEO CLIP PLAYED)

6 MR. GIRCYS: ...sponsored media
7 reporting seems to be an inversion of
8 reality. We, the police, military
9 veterans stand for freedoms and
10 democracy, not for the agenda of the
11 World Economic Forum.

12 MR. CORNELL: My name is Eddie
13 Cornell. I'm a --

14 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: We can stop there.

15 Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY:What do you mean by "the agenda of
16 the World Economic Forum"?

17 MR. MILLER: I'm just going to object on the
18 grounds of relevance because at this point too, the
19 Emergencies Act has already been invoked. And at issue
20 in this matter is whether or not it should have been
21 invoked or not, so I'm --

22 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Your client's testimony extends
23 beyond the date of the invocation of the Emergencies
24 Act. It goes well beyond the date in writing.

25 MR. MILLER: In the affidavit?

1 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Yes.

2 MR. MILLER: In the affidavit --

3 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: He talks about what happened to
4 him after the Emergencies Act was invoked.

5 MR. MILLER: Right. So what does his statement
6 with respect to the World Economic Forum have to do
7 with the relevance and materiality of the judicial --

8 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Well, could we put Mr. Gircys in a
9 separate room --

10 MR. MILLER: No, you can't.

11 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: -- madam court reporter?

12 MR. MILLER: I'm not going to --

13 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Yes.

14 MR. MILLER: I'm going to log off with him
15 if -- I've objected to your question --

16 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Mr. Miller --

17 MR. MILLER: Sir -- ma'am, I've objected. I'm
18 not withdrawing --

19 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: We can discuss the objection.

20 MR. MILLER: I'm not going to discuss the
21 objections with you. I've objected to it on the
22 grounds of materiality and relevance. I've let --
23 you've pushed pretty far, and it's done. So you're
24 asking questions --

25 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: It is completely relevant. Your

1 client --

2 MR. MILLER: What do you mean with the World

3 Economic --

4 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Well, your client used that
5 phrase, I did not, in a press conference related to
6 the --

7 MR. MILLER: Yes, but --

8 COURT REPORTER: Counsel, counsel, I can't possibly
9 do my job. I can't possibly get even one word if I
10 can't hear you separately, please.

11 MR. MILLER: Right. And how does that go to
12 why it should be invoked, and how does that go to there
13 being violence with respect --

14 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Well, that is my question to your
15 client.

16 MR. MILLER: Well, I know. You're trying to
17 shape statements and things as violence that haven't
18 been violence. And the Court in Keegstra has made very
19 straight that that can't be used, and I've let you go.
20 I've let all of you ask these questions and try to do a
21 character assassination of these affiants, and it's
22 gone too far at this point, so I'm objecting.

23 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Mr. Miller, all of your affiants
24 have put their political opinions at issue. They
25 have --

1 MR. MILLER: Is political opinions what is --
2 provides reasonable and probable grounds to issue the
3 Emergencies Act -- if that's the Attorney General's
4 position, you're welcome to take it --

5 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: No.

6 MR. MILLER: -- but I'm objecting that you
7 can't. So I've given you my objection. I'm not going
8 to argue with you anymore. You can continue to
9 question, state your questions so that you have them
10 for your objections if you're going to try to compel
11 them, and that's what we'll do, okay?

12 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Well, that's exactly what I was
13 trying to do, Mr. Miller. I was going to put my
14 questions down for the record, and you said you would
15 remove your client -- you would leave the
16 cross-examination.

17 MR. MILLER: Yeah, no, we're not going to go in
18 to talk about it. So let's --

19 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Your position is unclear because,
20 on the one hand, you're saying put my questions down
21 for the record, which is what I was intending on doing.
22 And on the other hand, you're saying you're not going
23 to let me do it, so which is it --

24 MR. MILLER: You asked -- you asked the
25 question. You asked what he meant with respect to the

1 World Economic Forum, and I objected, and then we
2 argued about it. You can --

3 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Right.

4 MR. MILLER: I'm not allowing him to answer
5 that question, and you can ask another question.

6 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: What do you
7 mean by "the agenda of the World Economic Forum"?

8 Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY:I will ask another question. What
9 does the World Economic Forum have to do with the
10 convoy?

11 MR. MILLER: Objection. Relevance.

12 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: What does the
13 World Economic Forum have to do with the convoy?

14 Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY:What does it have to do with the
15 pandemic or vaccine mandates?

16 MR. MILLER: Objection. Relevance.

17 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: What does it
18 have to do with the pandemic or vaccine mandates?

19 Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY:Okay. Moving on to another area,
20 I notice in this press conference, you discuss how
21 peaceful the protest was, and you also state that in
22 your affidavit; is that correct?

23 A. Yes.

24 Q. So earlier, you explained that you attended the convoy
25 for several hours in a day and that you were there for

1 over two weeks the second time you attended; is that
2 correct?

3 A. Yes.

4 Q. I just want to remind you of what you had said. And
5 you had also testified that the area of the convoy was
6 about ten blocks wide and -- sorry, ten blocks long and
7 three blocks wide; is that correct?

8 A. Yes.

9 Q. And how many people were at the convoy on any given
10 day?

11 A. Well, that would be an estimate, and I would say
12 certainly on Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays, there
13 would probably be possibly 20- to 25,000 people. And
14 midweek, there were probably 5,000 people or
15 somewhere -- yeah, probably about 5,000.

16 Q. Sorry. So the 20- to 25,000 was when versus the 5,000?
17 I didn't catch --

18 A. The larger number of people attending were on Fridays,
19 Saturdays, and Sundays, on weekends, and then the
20 attendance seemed to drop off to about a third of the
21 attendance midweek.

22 Q. You did not talk to all these people, did you?

23 A. No, I did not.

24 Q. You did not observe all of their actions?

25 A. No, did not.

1 Q. You can't confirm that each and every one of them
2 behaved peacefully?

3 A. Well, I only know what I saw, and what I saw was
4 friendly and peaceful --

5 Q. Just please answer my question. It's possible -- so
6 you've just said you can only confirm what you saw,
7 right? So it's possible that you've missed some
8 incidents that were not peaceful?

9 MR. MILLER: It's speculation. Objection.

10 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: It's not speculative. He's --

11 MR. MILLER: You're asking him to speculate.

12 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: So it's
13 possible that you've missed some incidents that were
14 not peaceful?

15 Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Is it possible that you missed
16 some incidents of harassment?

17 MR. MILLER: Speculation again.

18 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: Is it possible
19 that you missed some incidents of harassment?

20 Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Are you aware that the Ottawa
21 Police established a hotline for hate crimes during the
22 convoy?

23 A. No.

24 Q. You were following the media. You don't recall that
25 being mentioned at all?

1 **A.** I don't recall.

2 **Q.** I see. Do you know what a swastika is, Mr. Gircys?

3 **A.** Yes.

4 **Q.** Would you agree that it's a symbol associated with
5 hate?

6 **A.** A swastika is actually associated with a number of
7 things. Hate could be one of those things.

8 **Q.** I see. Are you aware that there were reports in the
9 media of a flag with a swastika at the convoy?

10 **A.** I was aware of that at one point, yes.

11 **Q.** Do you know what a Confederate flag is?

12 **A.** Yes.

13 **Q.** Are you aware that a Confederate flag is the symbol of
14 racism?

15 **A.** I believe a Confederate flag is a symbol of several
16 things.

17 **Q.** Are you aware that a Confederate flag has been
18 associated with white supremacy or white nationalism?

19 **A.** Yes.

20 **Q.** Are you aware there were reports in the media of a
21 Confederate flag at the convoy?

22 **A.** Yes.

23 **Q.** Earlier, you noted that you ran for Member of
24 Parliament for the Ontario Party in the recent
25 provincial election; is that correct?

1 **A.** Provincial parliament, yes.

2 **Q.** Yes, provincial. Thank you. And you recently left the
3 party; is that correct?

4 **A.** I'm in the process of leaving -- leaving the party.

5 **Q.** When you ran for the party, did you support the
6 platform of the Ontario Party?

7 MR. MILLER: I'm going to --

8 **A.** Yes, I --

9 MR. MILLER: I get it. This is so far apart
10 from the Emergencies Act and talking about an election,
11 and if you're going to start putting those to him,
12 it's -- it's highly inappropriate. It was -- no, I'm
13 objecting to questioning about this. He gave an update
14 of his affidavit, to be fair, because it said he wasn't
15 in politics, and he then joined after. It doesn't mean
16 that you have carte blanche to start examining about
17 it. So I'm not going to permit questioning with
18 respect to the time frame and his running for
19 parliament.

20 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: When you ran
21 for the party, did you support the platform of the
22 Ontario Party?

23 **Q.** MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I'm going to take a few minutes,
24 if I may, just to review my questions and see what I
25 have left. I may continue with this line of

1 questioning despite your counsel's objection. Just
2 give me a few minutes.

3 MR. MILLER: Yeah. And I do have questions
4 arising on re-examination, so we're going to be here a
5 bit.

6 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Okay.

7 (ADJOURNMENT)

8 **Q.** MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: So, Mr. Gircys, before we took a
9 break, I was asking you about your -- about the recent
10 election, and you had indicated that when you ran for
11 the Ontario Party, you supported its platform. I'm
12 going to ask you some more questions about that. And
13 when you ran for the Ontario Party, did you support its
14 leadership?

15 MR. MILLER: Objection. Relevance.

16 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: And when you
17 ran for the Ontario Party, did you support its
18 leadership?

19 **Q.** MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: And when you -- and the leader of
20 the party is Derek Sloan?

21 MR. MILLER: Objection. Relevance.

22 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: And the leader
23 of the party is Derek Sloan?

24 **Q.** MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: And this is the same Derek Sloan
25 who was a member of the federal Conservative Party?

1 MR. MILLER: Objection. Relevance.

2 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: And this is the
3 same Derek Sloan who was a member of the federal
4 Conservative Party?

5 Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY:Are you aware that this same Derek
6 Sloan questioned whether Dr. Theresa Tam, the chief
7 medical officer of Canada, was working for Canada or
8 China?

9 MR. MILLER: Objection. Relevance.

10 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: Are you aware
11 that this same Derek Sloan questioned whether
12 Dr. Theresa Tam, the chief medical officer of Canada,
13 was working for Canada or China?

14 Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY:Are you aware that this is the
15 same Derek Sloan who received a donation from a known
16 white supremacist, Paul Fromm?

17 MR. MILLER: Objection. Relevance.

18 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: Are you aware
19 that this is the same Derek Sloan who received a
20 donation from a known white supremacist, Paul Fromm?

21 Q. MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY:Are you aware that this is the
22 same Derek Sloan who was expelled from the Conservative
23 Party caucus after it became known that he had accepted
24 the donation?

25 MR. MILLER: Objection. Relevance.

1 **OBJECTION TAKEN** to answering the question: Are you aware
2 that this is the same Derek Sloan who was expelled from
3 the Conservative Party caucus after it became known
4 that he had accepted the donation?

5 **Q.** MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: May I ask why you're leaving the
6 party at this juncture?

7 MR. MILLER: Objection. Relevance.

8 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: It's entirely relevant. Your
9 client noted it right at the beginning of his
10 testimony.

11 MR. MILLER: For the purpose of advising you of
12 the update that he wasn't involved in politics so that
13 he wasn't misrepresenting anything. But objection.
14 Relevance.

15 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I see.

16 **OBJECTION TAKEN** to answering the question: May I ask why
17 you're leaving the party at this juncture?

18 **Q.** MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: So, Mr. Gircys, you're no longer
19 involved in politics?

20 **A.** No, I am not.

21 **Q.** This concludes my cross-examination subject to any
22 questions objected to that a Court may compel you to
23 answer. Thank you.

24 MR. MILLER: So I do have some questions
25 arising on re-examination.

1 MR. MILLER RE-QUESTIONS THE WITNESS:

2 Q. I'm going to just -- can you see my screen?

3 A. Yes.

4 Q. Okay. Can you see this -- do you see -- I just want to
5 make sure I've got the right one. I have three
6 screens. Do you see any highlighting, this, "Posted on
7 Tuesday, February 8, 2022"?

8 A. Yes.

9 Q. My friend asked you a bunch of questions about what you
10 observed in the media and what were observed, and you
11 advised her in response that that wasn't your
12 experience and the police's experience. I take it when
13 you were on the ground in Ottawa, how many times were
14 you conversing with police in a day?

15 A. At least once a day.

16 Q. Okay. When you were conversing with the police, did
17 they give you updates about any issues that were going
18 on throughout the protest?

19 A. Most of the time, yes, to those officers that I got to
20 know; but to some that didn't know me, there wasn't
21 much discussion on what was going on.

22 Q. Okay. So I want to show you a document from the Ottawa
23 Police Service from February 8th, 20 -- sorry, no, I
24 apologize, not that one. From February 8th, 2022. You
25 can see at the top here, it says: (as read)

1 Ottawa Police Service makes 23 arrests
2 in relation to demonstrations - 1,300
3 tickets issued.

4 Can you read this document and tell me when you're done,
5 please?

6 **A.** I heard you say, "Can you read this document and tell
7 me" --

8 **Q.** Yeah, and just tell me when to scroll down as well.
9 Sorry.

10 **A.** Oh, okay.

11 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Mr. Miller, I didn't ask the
12 affiant about this document.

13 MR. MILLER: No, you didn't, but you put in
14 issue about what he observed and his recollection of
15 things being different than what's in the media, and
16 you put this in issue.

17 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Well, we'll see what your
18 questions are.

19 MR. MILLER: Okay.

20 **A.** You can scroll down. You can scroll down, yeah. You
21 can scroll down. You can scroll down.

22 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Mr. Miller, you know, I don't
23 really understand. If this is something that you
24 wanted to have your client attest to, it should have
25 been in his affidavit.

1 MR. MILLER: Well, I didn't have yours until --
2 you know, I didn't know this was an issue. I didn't
3 know that you were going to put all these media
4 articles in to supplement --

5 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I didn't put any media articles to
6 your client. I only put the media article in --

7 MR. MILLER: Let me --

8 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: -- relation to --

9 MR. MILLER: Let me --

10 COURT REPORTER: One at a time, counsel. Counsel,
11 let each other finish, please, before you start your
12 objection. I cannot write two people at the same time.

13 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I only put The New York Times
14 article that covered his press conference, and then I
15 played the press conference. That's the only article I
16 put to your client.

17 MR. MILLER: What about the reports in the
18 media about the Nazi flags?

19 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I didn't put an article in front
20 of him.

21 MR. MILLER: It's in issue. I'm going to let
22 him read the rest of this, and you can object
23 accordingly and --

24 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: There are no exhibits in redirect,
25 Mr. Miller. You can just ask him questions. To my

1 knowledge, there are no exhibits in redirect.

2 MR. MILLER: That's not my understanding of the
3 law, but you're welcome to object.

4 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Well, I do object.

5 MR. MILLER: Well, I haven't asked a question
6 yet. He's reading a document. So can we keep going?

7 A. Yeah.

8 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Yeah, we -- you know, I have to
9 say, you're -- you're informing your client about
10 information, and then you're asking him about -- then
11 you're going to ask him about it. This is --

12 MR. MILLER: I'm letting him -- I'm letting him
13 read the document.

14 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: But you're not allowed to put
15 exhibits in redirect, Mr. Miller. I have never seen
16 that happen --

17 MR. MILLER: It gives rise due to an affidavit
18 that you filed after my client has filed an affidavit
19 and you put something into issue in your affidavits as
20 well as in cross, it's permissible.

21 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I disagree.

22 MR. MILLER: So you're welcome -- you're
23 welcome to object.

24 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: And I object.

25 MR. MILLER: Well, that's fine and -- because

1 I'll let you know what -- yeah, that's fine. I'll ask
2 the questions, so there you go. And it's fair. I'm
3 going to let him finish the reading.

4 A. Continue.

5 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I think you should ask your
6 questions, Mr. Miller. Mr. Miller, I'm allowed to put
7 questions -- I'm allowed to put documents to an affiant
8 in the context of cross-examination. In the context of
9 redirect, you're not allowed to put a document that I
10 have not put to him.

11 MR. MILLER: That's your position, but you've
12 put these things in issue, and I'm going to ask my
13 question --

14 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: You're having --

15 MR. MILLER: Can I ask my question now that
16 he's reviewed it?

17 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: But you're having your client
18 inform himself of information in the context of a
19 cross-examination that I am conducting.

20 MR. MILLER: Right. And I'm doing a
21 re-examination arising from that.

22 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Right, in relation to a document
23 that I did not put to him.

24 MR. MILLER: In relation to the facts in issue
25 of what you've put to him, which he didn't observe,

1 asking him about, Did he read X in the media? Did he
2 see X in the media?

3 Q. MR. MILLER: This is a media press release from
4 the Ontario -- from the Ottawa Police Service. So it's
5 a --

6 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I --

7 Q. MR. MILLER: So have you had an opportunity,
8 sir -- Mr. Gircys, have you read this document?

9 A. No, I have not. I mean --

10 Q. Until now?

11 A. -- now, yes, just now.

12 Q. Is it -- from your observations when you were at the
13 protest, does the document reflect what your
14 observations were and what you understood during that
15 time?

16 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I object. Your client said he's
17 not familiar with the document. This is my
18 cross-examination, and I'm going to close it now.

19 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: From your
20 observations when you were at the protest, does the
21 document reflect what your observations were and what
22 you understood during that time?

23 MR. MILLER: Okay. I make application to mark
24 the "Ottawa Police Service makes 23 arrests in relation
25 to a demonstration - 1,300 tickets issued" on February

1 8th as an exhibit --

2 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Now you're giving evidence,
3 Mr. Miller.

4 MR. MILLER: -- for an exhibit for
5 identification only.

6 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Now you're giving evidence,
7 Mr. Miller. I --

8 MR. MILLER: No, I'm marking it as an exhibit
9 following your objection because you won't let me ask
10 questions about it, so I'm just marking it for
11 identification. That's it.

12 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I don't believe that in a -- in a
13 redirect, counsel is allowed to, you know, put new
14 exhibits to an affiant, and I will -- I will -- I will
15 state my -- I will state that as my objection, so I do
16 not agree that this should be marked.

17 MR. MILLER: Right, but it's marked for
18 identification, and that's not objectionable. It is
19 not being marked as a full exhibit. It's marked for
20 identification so --

21 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Well, that's fine.

22 EXHIBIT B FOR IDENTIFICATION - A copy
23 of a document dated February 8th with
24 the heading "Ottawa Police Service
25 makes 23 arrests in relation to a

1 demonstration - 1,300 tickets issued"

2 MR. MILLER: Yes, so --

3 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: The -- sorry. Go ahead.

4 MR. MILLER: No, go ahead. Go ahead.

5 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: The New York Times article, madam
6 reporter, also needs to be marked for identification.
7 It was The New York Times article that I questioned
8 Mr. Gircys on a while back titled "Organizers call for
9 the protest in Ottawa to become too large for the
10 police to break up," dated February 16, 2022.

11 MR. MILLER: Thank you.

12 EXHIBIT C FOR IDENTIFICATION - A copy
13 of a New York Times article dated
14 February 16, 2022, titled "Organizers
15 call for the protest in Ottawa to
16 become too large for the police to
17 break up"

18 Q. MR. MILLER: And so, Mr. Gircys, my friend
19 asked you several questions about flags --

20 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I just said I'm closing the -- my
21 cross-examination, Mr. Miller.

22 MR. MILLER: Your cross-exam -- I'm still on
23 re-exam. I don't care if you're closing your
24 cross-examination. I'm going to put to my client the
25 questions arising from your cross-examination, of which

1 I'm entitled to do. So I'm going to ask --

2 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: We can --

3 MR. MILLER: You're welcome to object to
4 them --

5 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: We can --

6 MR. MILLER: You're welcome to object to them,
7 and we can deal with that, but my friend put to you --

8 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: We can keep our tone civil,
9 Mr. Miller, despite our disagreement, I think.

10 MR. MILLER: I think we're civil. We're fine.
11 No one -- no one is screaming at each other. It's just
12 tone.

13 Q. MR. MILLER: So, Mr. Gircys, my friend put to
14 you that there was Nazi flags at -- and Confederate
15 flags and other flags of hate, or what have you, at the
16 protest. Now, who did you see with such flags?

17 A. Nobody.

18 Q. Okay. Mr. Gircys, are you a Nazi?

19 A. No.

20 Q. Are you a white supremacist?

21 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Objection, counsel. I never asked
22 Mr. Gircys if he was a Nazi, nor did I suggest it.

23 MR. MILLER: Right, but you're saying the
24 protesters were, so you're --

25 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I didn't say that either actually.

1 MR. MILLER: Right. So --

2 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: I did not say that the protesters
3 were Nazis either.

4 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: Are you a white
5 supremacist?

6 Q. MR. MILLER: So, Mr. Gircys, are you a member
7 of the Ku Klux Klan?

8 A. No.

9 Q. Are you a member of a terrorist organization under the
10 Criminal Code designated as such?

11 A. No.

12 MS. MUHAMMED-ALLY: Objection. I did not ask him
13 about a terrorist organization, Mr. Miller. You're
14 going beyond the scope of re-examination.

15 Q. MR. MILLER: Okay. So with respect to these
16 symbols of hate and people carrying symbols of hate,
17 when you were at the protest, did anyone that you
18 observed incite violence?

19 A. Yes. That would be the police.

20 Q. Oh. What about the protesters? Did any of the
21 protesters that you observed incite violence?

22 A. Surprisingly, no, not one.

23 Q. Did you --

24 A. And I say "surprisingly" because of the number of
25 people that were there. I observed no violence from

1 any of the protesters.

2 **Q.** Okay. Did you hear or observe any of the protesters
3 make any threats of violence?

4 **A.** No.

5 **Q.** Did you hear or observe any of the protesters destroy
6 property?

7 **A.** No.

8 **Q.** Did you hear or observe any of the protesters threaten
9 to destroy property?

10 **A.** That last part cut out. Did I hear them threaten?

11 **Q.** Yeah.

12 **A.** No.

13 **Q.** Did any of the protesters, in your observation or did
14 you hear, incite insurrection?

15 **A.** No.

16 **Q.** I think that pretty much wraps up what I need to gather
17 in redirect, so subject to anything arising from my
18 redirect, that's my redirect.

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20 (Proceedings ended at 11:58 a.m.)

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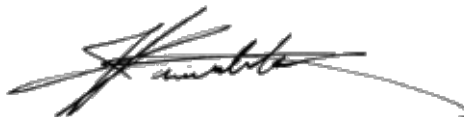
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I further certify that this questioning was conducted in accordance with the Alberta Protocol for Remote Questioning, Revised 05/05/2020.

Dated at the City of Calgary, Province of Alberta, this 26th day of June, 2022.



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VINCENT GIRCYS

June 14, 2022

The following is a listing of exhibits, undertakings and objections as interpreted by the Court Reporter.

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2 York Times article dated February 16, 2022, titled
3 "Organizers call for the protest in Ottawa to
4 become too large for the police to break up"

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6 ***UNDERTAKINGS REQUESTED***

7 No undertakings were requested.
8

9 ***OBJECTIONS***

10 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: And 36
11 here, you're quoted as saying in the third
12 paragraph, "We are concerned that the government
13 will order the police to use violence against
14 peaceful protesters." Do you recall saying that?
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16 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: By 45
17 encouraging citizens to violate a law?
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19 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: The 49
20 Emergencies Act is a law, is it not, Mr. Gircys?
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22 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: What 54
23 do you mean by "the agenda of the World Economic
24 Forum"?
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1	OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: What	54
2	does the World Economic Forum have to do with the	
3	convoy?	
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5	OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: What	54
6	does it have to do with the pandemic or vaccine	
7	mandates?	
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9	OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: So	56
10	it's possible that you've missed some incidents	
11	that were not peaceful?	
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13	OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: Is it	56
14	possible that you missed some incidents of	
15	harassment?	
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17	OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: When	58
18	you ran for the party, did you support the	
19	platform of the Ontario Party?	
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21	OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: And	59
22	when you ran for the Ontario Party, did you	
23	support its leadership?	
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1	OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: And	59
2	the leader of the party is Derek Sloan?	
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4	OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: And	60
5	this is the same Derek Sloan who was a member of	
6	the federal Conservative Party?	
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8	OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: Are	60
9	you aware that this same Derek Sloan questioned	
10	whether Dr. Theresa Tam, the chief medical officer	
11	of Canada, was working for Canada or China?	
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13	OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: Are	60
14	you aware that this is the same Derek Sloan who	
15	received a donation from a known white	
16	supremacist, Paul Fromm?	
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18	OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: Are	61
19	you aware that this is the same Derek Sloan who	
20	was expelled from the Conservative Party caucus	
21	after it became known that he had accepted the	
22	donation?	
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1 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: May I 61
2 ask why you're leaving the party at this juncture?
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4 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: From 67
5 your observations when you were at the protest,
6 does the document reflect what your observations
7 were and what you understood during that time?
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9 OBJECTION TAKEN to answering the question: Are 71
10 you a white supremacist?
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